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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SIMPLIFYING)
FRAME-BASED MOTION ESTIMATION)

TC 2600 MAILROOM

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application and consider the following remarks.

IN THE BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Please amend the Background Of The Invention, Related Applications, as follows:

On page 1, line 10, replace "09/101,251" with --09/209,828--.

On page 1, line 11, delete "provisional".